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In re Application of:

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Title:

Apparatus and Method for Providing Gain Equalization

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

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Respectfully submitted,